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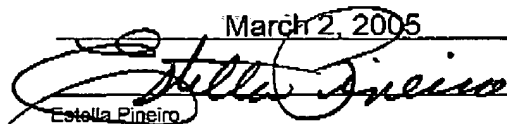
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Serial No.:	10/045,844	Art Unit:	3762
Filed:	11/08/2001		
Docket No.:	A01P1076		
For:	METHOD OF RECHARGING BATTERY FOR AN IMPLANTABLE MEDICAL DEVICE		

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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